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Education

2024-Present University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, US,

B.S.E in Computer Science - GPA 3.94/4.00.

2022–2024 Shanghai Jiao Tong University, Shanghai, China,

B.S.E in Mechanical Engineering - GPA 3.83/4.00.

Research Experience

May 2025- Agentic Distributed System Ops, Order Lab, Dept. of CSE, Advisor: Ryan (Peng) Huang, Ongoing University of Michigan.

- Built an agent-based auto-mitigation prototype for common distributed failures (overload, network faults).
- Evaluated on ZooKeeper; integrated Prometheus metrics and mitigation via HAProxy, Resilience4j, etc., ChaosBlade and Kazoo fault injection.
- Automated reproduce→metrics of failure→mitigate loop→metrics of recovery.

Sept. 2024— SoftRobot Electronic Control, HDR LAB, DEPT. OF ROBOTICS, Advisor: Xiaonan (Sean) Huang, Ongoing University of Michigan.

- Developed motion planning, state estimation, and pose rendering for modular soft-robotic arm sections.
- Led STM32 & Orange Pi control stack (C++/Rust): dynamics/PID, CAN/I²C, inter-MCU networking; contributed to PCB design.
- o Integrated Python (PyTorch, ResNet) for model optimization; industry collaboration with General Motors.
- Demos/extended abstracts: ICRA 2025 Workshop (Atlanta, Best Poster), RoboSoft 2025 Workshop (Lausanne), ICON 2025 (Purdue).

Feb. 2024- Control Developer, SIRIUS LAB, OF SHANGHAI JIAO TONG UNIVERSITY, Advisor: Yutong Ban.

- Sept. 2024 Objectives: Use the LLM and the Flexiv 7 DOF Robot Arm with ZED Depth Camera to handle natural language input and solve daily tasks like solve the jigsaw puzzles.
 - · Lead the robotic arm control algorithm design, basing on the Flexiv-RDK frame, use the reverse/forward kinematic solution to make fluent control of the 7 DOF manipulator to handle accurate motion.
 - Combining simulation data and path planning into control flow

Selected Projects

Jan. 2025 - Simulated Basic Operating System, EECS482 (Introduction to Operating System) Lecture Project.

- Apr. 2025 Thread Concurrency Library:
 - Built a lightweight user-level multicore threading library (swapcontext/makecontext): lifecycle, Mesa Monitors sync (mutex/condvar/spin), interrupts/core-suspend, non-preemptive FIFO run queues.
 - Pager & MMU:
 - Minimal pager (SWAP/FILE-backed); manages page tables and dirty/reference/recident bits.
 - Page-fault path: clock queue eviction, copy-on-write, defer-and-avoid; supports fork/mmap/yield.
 - Network File System:
 - Built an inode-based, Unix-style NFS with strong consistency under concurrent access.
 - Synchronized file ops (create/read/write/delete) using Boost shared/upgrade/unique locks; added robust error handling.

- Jan. 2025 Network Simulation with Mininet, EECS489 (Introduction to Computer Networks) Lecture Project.

 - Apr. 2025 Mininet Topology & Performance Measurement:
 - Simulate the iperf instruction. Built custom Mininet networks and measured RTT/throughput with C++ socket library.
 - Video Proxy & Adaptive Streaming:
 - Simulated a video-server proxy using select/poll.
 - Implemented round-robin load balancing for client request distribution.
 - Developed DASH support for adaptive bitrates based on client network conditions.
 - Transport-Layer Algorithm Emulation:
 - Emulated TCP sliding window over UDP.
 - Implemented Go-Back-N and Selective Repeat strategy with both cumulative and selective acknowledgments.
 - L3 Router Simulation:
 - Simulated a multi-interface Ethernet router with ARP cache.
 - Handled ICMP echo request/reply.
 - Implemented simple intra-domain routing logic.
- Jan. 2025 Digital Forensics, EECS 388 (Introduction to Computer Security) Lecture Project...
 - Apr. 2025 Cryptanalysis & Cracking: length-extension, padding-oracle; John the Ripper (PDF/ODT), Hydra (SSH).
 - Web Exploitation: auth bypass via XSS/SQLi/CSRF.
 - Binary Exploitation: ROP/NOP-sled against DEP/ASLR.
 - Reverse Engineering: Ghidra decompilation and PWNing.
 - **Steganography:** hidden-data detection (binwalk, Stegseek, exif check).
 - Protocols: TLS 1.3 handshake; Google-style TOTP.
- Sept. 2024 Origami Inspired Soft Robotic Arm: A Modular Design Platform for Manipulation, HDR Lab, Ongoing Dept. of Robotics, University of Michigan.
 - Design Kresling origami and pneumatic-actuation workflow and control algorithms for a confined-space soft robotic arm.
 - Led STM32 and Orange Pi firmware development (dynamics, PID, CAN/I²C communication).
 - Implemented core algorithms in C++ and Rust; collaborated on PCB hardware design.
 - 2023–2024 Auto Sentry Robot Control, Chinese Univ. National Robot Competition Robomaster Championship.
 - o Autonomous decision making and engagement with dual gimbals and 4-wheel chassis on STM32-F407.
 - Lead circuit design; dual-gimbal control stabilization; high-speed 4-wheel chassis response.
 - Developed CAN/UART pipelines for CV and LiDAR data; implemented IMU-based absolute-pose control.

Skills

- Programming C/C++, Java, Rust, Python, Bash; Git; CMake, Makefile, Maven
 - Systems Arch/Ubuntu Linux; concurrency (boost locks); MMU/paging; POSIX sockets (select/poll)
 - Networking tc(config); HAProxy; Mininet; TCP (GBN/SR), L3 routing
 - Distributed Docker (Compose), Kubernetes; ZooKeeper, HDFS; Prometheus+Grafana (JMX Exporter)
 - Reliability Resilience4j; ChaosBlade
 - Security Wireshark, Ghidra, John the Ripper, Hydra, sqlmap, Autopsy, Stegseek; ROP chains
 - Robotics STM32, FreeRTOS; CAN/I²C; Flexiv RDK; PID/dynamics; C++/Rust firmware, MATLAB
 - ML PyTorch
 - Databases SQLite
 - Other JavaScript, HTML, Markdown, LATEX; Neovim (LSP via Mason), SSH, tmux, GDB/LLDB

Honors & Awards

- May 2025 ICRA Workshop Best Poster Award.
- Jun. 2024 Cheng-Family Scholarship.
- May 2024 RoboMaster University Championship (Eastern Region Champion).
- Apr. 2024 RoboMaster University League (National Champion).
- Nov. 2023 University Physics Competition (Silver Prize).
- Dec. 2023 SJTU Excellence Scholarship, Level B.
- Nov. 2023 Wu Jiong Sun Jie Sunshine Scholarship.
- Aug. 2023 RoboMaster University Championship (National Champion).

Aug. 2023 SJTU Social Practice, Third Prize.

Extra Curriculars

May 2025- **Undergraduate Research Assistant** at University of Michigan College of Engineering, MI, May 2025 Sept. 2025

2025 Volunteer at IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation (ICRA), Atlanta, GA, May 2025

2024 **Teaching Assistant** at Shanghai Jiao Tong University, ENGR 1000J (Introduction to Software Engineering)

2023 UM-SJTU Joint Institute Youth Volunteer Team member (Shanghai, China).

2023 Old Friends Youth Team, Shanghai, Facilitated intergenerational communication activities.

Personal Details

Language English (TOEFL 106/120), Chinese (Native)

Hobbies Badminton, Playing Rubik's Cube, Linux Rice/Customization (especially Arch Linux + Hyprland + NeoVim + Fcitx5), MOBA Games (HOK)